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PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALCOCK, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE STREET & CO., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GORON, Ludgate Circus, E. C. BATES & CO., 55, St. Walbrook, E. C. SAMPSON, Lowry & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

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NEW YORK.—ANDREW WIND, 21, Park Row.

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Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.—\$7,500,000.
RESERVE FUND.—\$4,354,915.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman.—A. P. McLEWIS, Esq.
Deputy Chairman.—Hon. F. D. SASSOON.
C. D. BOTTOMLEY, Esq.
H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq.
W. H. FORBES, Esq.
M. GROTH, Esq.
H. HERRING, Esq.
A. MOYER, Esq.
M. E. SASSOON, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong.—THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

MANAGER.

Shanghai.—SWAN CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON BRANCH.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit.—Account at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits.

For 3 months.—3 per cent. per annum.

For 6 months.—4 per cent. per annum.

For 12 months.—5 per cent. per annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credit granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, July 14, 1884. 1161

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 5; Saturdays, 10 to 1.

2.—The Assets of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation will form a direct security for the repayment of sums deposited in the above Bank.

3.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositors may deposit more than \$1,500 in any one year.

4.—Deposits may be on behalf of relations, of trusts, &c., in addition to the depositor's own account.

5.—Persons desirous of saving sums less than a dollar may do so by staking clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank or at the Post Office. When the form is presented with ten clean stamps the depositor will be credited one dollar.

6.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

7.—Deposits may be forwarded from the Bank by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any values.

8.—Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.

9.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be produced with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Book but should send them to be written up at least twice a year about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

10.—Cover containing Pass-Books, Registered Letters containing Stamps or other Remittances, and generally, correspondence as to the business of the Bank will, if directed "To Hongkong Savings Bank Business," be forwarded free of Postage or Registration Fees by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

11.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

12.—All documents connected with the business of the Savings' Bank are exempt from stamp duty.

For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, April 25, 1884. 715

WITH Reference to the above, BUSINESS will be commenced on the 1st May, 1884.

For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, April 25, 1884. 716

Intimations.

Chinese Imperial Government Eight per Cent. Loan of 1878.

ELEVENTH AND FINAL DRAWING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that, in conformity with the stipulation contained in the Bonds of this Loan, the following Numbers of Bonds to be paid off at Par at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, in Hongkong, and Shanghai, on the 5th day of August, 1884, when the Interest thereon will cease to be Payable, were this day Drawn at the Office of the said Corporation in Hongkong, in the presence of Mr. HENRY LUTHERAL, Esquire, Acting Chief Accountant of the said Corporation, and of the undersigned Notary.

NUMBERS OF BONDS DRAWN.

324 Bonds Nos. —

Nos.	Nos.	Nos.	Nos.
6	731	1870	2057
39	769	1371	2070
49	774	1374	2071
51	789	1376	2093
63	790	1428	2111
72	804	1430	2112
88	805	1439	2139
90	808	1441	2145
93	814	1445	2146
95	818	1460	2155
99	821	1463	2158
124	857	1469	2172
133	876	1471	2182
155	886	1473	2195
172	890	1474	2204
176	892	1475	2223
191	897	1484	2236
192	900	1490	2247
193	901	1499	2258
199	905	1503	2259
206	926	1507	2262
218	932	1516	2331
248	933	1551	2340
264	934	1564	2358
274	935	1576	2369
313	940	1579	2375
316	953	1589	2395
318	955	1591	2411
320	956	1633	2420
325	959	1647	2436
337	973	1674	2449
337	990	1677	2462
374	1004	1681	2463
382	1014	1688	2468
407	1040	1698	2498
412	1062	1703	2577
446	1074	1711	2594
463	1073	1716	2608
474	1067	1717	2612
487	1117	1741	2613
489	1182	1745	2618
503	1183	1761	2646
508	1183	1772	2651
515	1184	1782	2664
520	1189	1785	2668
534	1171	1787	2669
547	1179	1816	2675
563	1188	1838	2691
564	1194	1857	2693
578	1195	1864	2694
579	1204	1875	2711
585	1213	1879	2727
595	1234	1886	2743
616	1238	1901	2745
630	1254	1928	2753
632	1260	1929	2755
644	1280	1936	2778
664	1297	1966	2784
675	1307	1981	2788
680	1318	1986	2793
704	1320	2005	2799
711	1354	2026	2820
717	1355	2045	2825
721	1364	2050	2830
729	1365	2053	2877

For Shanghai Teas 500 each—Shanghai Teas 162,000.

For the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

HENRY L. COOMBS, Acting Chief Accountant.

Countersigned,

A. B. JOHNSON, Notary Public, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 4th day of July, 1884. 1320

CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT LOAN OF 1878.

THE INTEREST due 5th day of August current of the above LOAN, together with the BONDS DRAWN for Redemption, will be Paid at the Office of this Corporation on and after that date.

For the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Agents for the Loan,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 8, 1884. 1321

DRY DOCK AND PATENT SLIP, NAGASAKI.

THE Undersigned have been appointed

Agents for the IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT DOCK AND PATENT SLIP, at Nagasaki, and are prepared to supply Tenders for the Docking, Cleaning, Painting, &c., of VESSELS. The Dock works in connection with the Dockyard are under the direction of experienced ENGINEERS and possess all the necessary appliances for REPAIRS to SHIPS and MACHINERY.

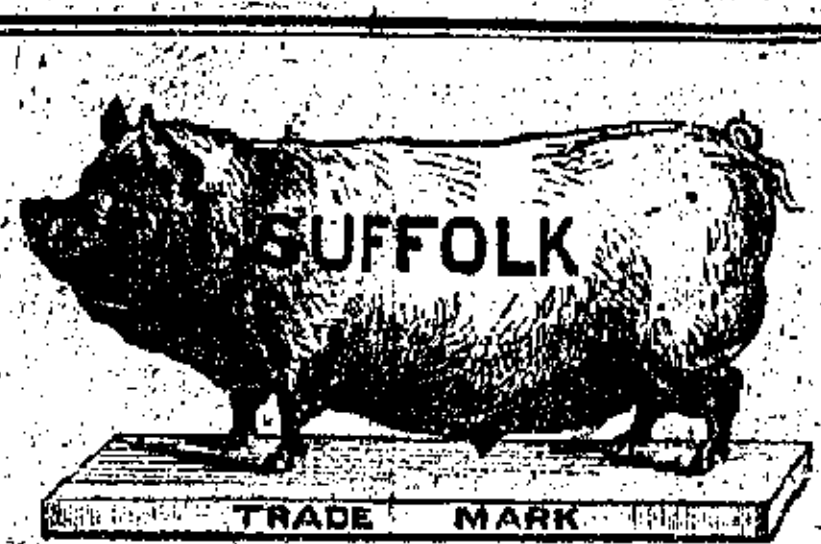
HOLME, RINGER & Co.

Nagasaki, March, 1884. 645

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

EX 'GLAMIS CASTLE,' A FRESH CONSIGNMENT OF



SUFFOLK

EDWARD BEART'S CELEBRATED HOME CURED SUFFOLK HAMS, BACON, &c.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, August 9, 1884. 1293

NOTICE.

SAYLE & Co. beg to inform their Customers and the Public in general that in consequence of the Death of the SENIOR PARTNER, the BUSINESS carried on in Hongkong will be CLOSED

On or before the 31st day of August Next,

AND THE WHOLE OF THE

STOCK is now offered at a REDUCTION of 25 per Cent. on the Marked Prices.

Special terms will be made for parcels of Goods over \$100 in value purchased at one time.

All Sales from this date will be for Cash only. Customers are requested to make immediate Payment of Amounts due by them to the late Firm.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, June 9, 1884. 551

OVERSTRUNG TRICHORD COTTAGE PIANOS,

by

NEUMEYER & Co., WEIDENSLAUER & ROSENKRANZ.

Specially manufactured for this climate.

COMPLETE IRON FRAME AND TUNING PLATE.

Unrivalled for Brilliance and Sweetness of Tone.

FINEST TOUCH.

Price for Cash, from \$230 to \$250.

On Hire, per month, from \$15 to \$20.

Special attention is called to the fact that after having hired a Piano for 14 months, it will become without further payment the property of the hirer.

INSPECTION SOLICITED.

Apply to

Prof. A. VITA,

4, Old Bailey Street. 1180

Intimations.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central, at 3 o'clock p.m. on MONDAY, the 18th Instant, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1884.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 18th Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

P. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, August 1, 1884. 1273

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE

is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the City Hall, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 25th day of August, current, at THREE O'CLOCK p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1884.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1884. 1267

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE

is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of this Corporation will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 25th August current (both days inclusive) during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1884. 1268

Intimations.

D. K. GRIFFITH & Co.

MANUFACTURERS OF THE LONDON AERATED WATERS.

Have Removed from the BRASSFIELD ARCADE to larger Premises

1, DUDELL STREET.

Where they continue to supply:

SODA WATER, LEMONADE, GINGERBREAD, RASPBERRY, &c., &c., &c.

At the same Moderate Charges.

D. K. GRIFFITH, Proprietor.

Hongkong, July 28, 1884. 1249

CONSULAR NOTIFICATION.

PERUVIAN CONSULATE, Hongkong, 6th August, 1884.

SHIPMERS to the PORTS of PERU are required to Present to the Consul a Copy of Bill of Lading, and a Bill of Lading in triplicate, as follows:—

1. The name of the Shipper, Destination, and name of the Person to whom the Goods are Consigned, or, if they are to order, the Port of Destination and name of the Ship.

2. The Mark, Number, Description, Contents, and Gross Weight of each package.

3. The Total value of the Shipment without details respecting each package.

One Copy of Bill of Lading will be retained at this Consulate, to be forwarded to Peru.

Goods forwarded to any other Port, or transhipment to Peru, require certified Bill of Lading and Manifest from this Consulate.

J. GRANT SMITH, Consul for Peru.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

LESSEES of LOTS in the British Settlement of HONGKONG, CANTON, are hereby requested to Pay the AMOUNTS due on their Several Lots as ANNUAL RENT into H. M. CONSULATE, on or before the 4th September, 1884. All Lots on which Ground Rent has not been paid on the 4th September next, will be liable to be re-occupied upon by H. M.'s Government.

H. F. HANCE, Acting Consul.

H. M. Consulate, Canton, 11th August, 1884. 1347

THE HONGKONG & CHINA TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL, 500,000 DOLLARS.

In 10,000 Shares of \$50 each, \$ payable on Application, \$10 on Allotment, and the Remainder by Calls as required.

Provisional Committee:

The Hon. W. KESWICK (Chairman).

The Hon. T. JACKSON.

The Hon. F. D. SASSOON.

C. P. CHATER, Esq.

Wm. DANBY, Esq.

W. H. FORBES, Esq.

W. B. HUGHES, Esq.

A. B. JOHNSON, Esq.

J. A. MOSELY, Esq.

Wm. WOTTON, Esq.

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Engineers:

Wm. DANBY, Esq., M. Inst. C.E.

R. K. LEIGH, Esq., Assoc. M. Inst. C.E.

Solicitors:

Messrs. BRERETON, WOTTON AND DEACON.

Temporary Offices:

13, PRAYA CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS.

THE Company has been formed for the purpose of constructing, equipping, and working a series of Low Level Steam Tramways in the City of Victoria, Hongkong.

Two Special Ordinances (Nos. 6 and 18 of 1883) have been passed by the Legislative Council and the Government authorizing the construction and working of the same.

Victoria is very favourably adapted for Tramways, owing to its configuration, the easy gradients of its principal street, (the main thoroughfare from the East to the West ends, along which the Tramways will be laid), and the immense incessant traffic.

The Tramways will be constructed in the best and most substantial manner, and with all the latest improvements, with steel girder rails, bedded in concrete, but no wood or other perishable material will be used.


The Tramways are intended to be worked by Steam Traction, which being much more economical, trustworthy, and under more official control, having more power of overcoming gradients, and giving better results (pecuniary and otherwise) than horse, compressed air, electricity or other motive power.

The engines will be constructed according to the Board of Trade regulations and will in no way be a nuisance, being almost noiseless, and having no machinery, smoke, or steam visible.

To-day's Advertisements

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rate
for CHEEFOO, TIENTSIN, NEW-
CHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on
the YANGTZE.)

The Steamship
Chintung
Leaves Wessing, will



 Captain H. B. Russell will be
 despatched for the above
 Port **TO-MORROW**, the 14th Instant,
 6 p.m.
 For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
 Hongkong, August 13, 1884. 135

FOR TIENTSIN.
The Steamship
Kung-pai
Capt. BUCHANAN, will
be despatched for the above
Port on FRIDAY, the 15th Inst., at 5 p.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, August 13, 1884. 13

FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG.

The Steamship
Meefoo,
Captain Lunn, will
despatch for the above



Ports on SATURDAY, the 16th Instant,
4 p.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, August 13, 1884.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED
FOR BATAVIA, SAMARANG, AND
SOURABAYA, VIA AMOY, SAIGON
AND SINGAPORE.

The Co.'s Steamship
Celebes
will be despatched

about the 18th Instant.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co
Agents.
Hongkong, August 13, 1894.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned has received instructions from the **EXECUTORS** to Sell Public Auction, on
TUESDAY,
the 10th August 1884 at 2 p.m. at

the 10th August, 1884,
Residence of late Mr. W. B. SPRATT,
19, Hollywood Road,—

SUNDRY
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
comprising:—
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, BLACKWOOD
AND MARBLE TABLES, CHIMNEY GLASS

PICTURES and ORNAMENTS.
DINING TABLE, SIDEBBOARD, WHEAT
CROCKERY, GLASS and PLATED WARE
LAMPS.
DOUBLE LEON and WOODEN BEDST
WARDROBES, CHEST of DRAWERS, T
TABLES and GLASS, WASHSTAND.
&c., &c., &c.

Catalogues will be issued.
TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.
J. M. ARMSTRONG
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, August 13, 1884.

UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
FROM LONDON, PENANG AND
SINGAPORE.
THE Steamship Celtic *Minarch*, C
BROOKS, having arrived from
the South Coast of China and

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and at Consignees' risk and expense, and Fire Insurance will be effected.

Optional cargo will be forwarded
JAPAN, unless notice to the contrary
given before Noon To-morrow, this
Instant.

All Claims against the Steamer now
presented to the Undersigned on or
the 23rd Inst., or they will not be reco-

RUSSELL &
HARRIS

Hongkong, August 13, 1884.

Not Responsible for Debt

Neither the Captain, the Agent, nor the Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officer in Charge.

ABDIE CARVER of BOSTON, AMER.
Capt. B. C. Pendleton.—Captain
C. T. Hook, British steamer, Cap
Jarvis. T. Howard & Co.

Holm.—WIELER & Co.
MYVANWA, British schooner, Capt.
Vincent.—Turner & Co.
VICTORIA, British steamer, Capt.
Shield.—Siemssen & Co.
WEST AUSTRALIAN, British barque
James Thomas.—Gillman & Co.

WILLOWOOD, American banque,
Chas. A. Sawyer.—Melchers & Co.
WILHELM HOMBYER, Ger. banque
W. Holtz.—Siemssen & Co.

SHIPPING.

August 12, 1884:—
Three Brothers, British bankue,
Kahlck, Quinhon August 3, General
Ty.
August 13:—
Settee, French steamer, 323, Th.
Hathong August 10, General.

MAINT.
Peking, British steamer, 954; Hau
Shanghai August 10, General—S
& Co.
Phra Chula Chon Klao, British
1,011, H. Lightwood, Bangkok A
and Hollow 12, Rice and General
F. H. H. H.

Celtic Monarch; British steamer
E. Brooks, London June 21, and S
August 6, General.—Russell & Co

CLEARED.

China, for Swatow.
Stentor, for Shanghai.

4/10/61, 10th St. 500.

Shipping.
 Notice of Optional Cargo per *Celtic Monarch* to be sent in before Noon.
 Goods for *Yungtung* undelivered after Noon subject to rent and landing charges.
 3 p.m.—*Wingung* and *Japan* leave for Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.
 4 p.m.—English Mail leaves for Port of Call and Europe.

THE
HONGKONG DISPENSARY
Established A.D. 1841
香港大藥房

A. S. WATSON & Co.,
FAMILY & DISPENSING CHEMIST
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS,
IMPORTERS
OF
DRUGGISTS' SUPPLIES, NURSERY, REQ

**SITES, TOILET REQUISITES, ESSENCE,
AMERICAN, AND FRENCH PATENT
MEDICINES,
MANUFACTURERS
OF
Soda Water, Lemonade, Tonic, Water**

Gingerade, Potass Water, Sarsaparilla
Water, and other Aerated Waters.
The Manufactory is under direct
continuous European Supervision.
Hongkong, June 1, 1876.

SUN AND TIDE TABLE FOR HONGKONG. AUGUST.				
Day of Month.	HIGH WATER.		SUN.	
	Morn. H. M.	Aft. H. M.	Rises H. M.	Sets H. M.

14	2.10	2.13	5.38	0.3
15	3.10	4.26	5.39	0.3
16	4.23	0.31	5.39	6.3
17	5.32	7.48	5.39	6.2
18	6.32	8.37	5.39	6.2
19	7.32	9.18	5.40	6.2

High water at Whampoa: 2 hrs.
mins. later than at Hongkong; at

Barrier: 3 hrs. 15 mins.; at the
Flats: 3 hrs. 30 mins.; at Shamo
3 hrs. 45 mins. (12-22119)

The publication of this issue commences at 7.10 p.m.

The China Mail.
HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13, 1896.
As Hongkong grows older as a Colony

and its population becomes denser, more settled, and the daily conditions of life more complicated, the Government will have to face some serious responsibilities from which it hitherto has been free. One of these is the need for relief of the poor. Hitherto pro-

curity has been able to afford relief of most of the necessities caseing among the foreign community few of our countrymen have died in want. The fact is that Hongkong been a well-to-do community and were always forthcoming, due to public spirit of private individual

principally firms, with which to ship
poor off to lands where labour
abundant and fortune open to all. There
was no need for special legislation
the subject.

A glance at the peculiar position
the Colony will make this clear.

Company's monopoly in '34, the Canton community at Canton was almost exclusively made up of servants of the company, who had some influence in Lowell Street, for the Canton Factory wharves were the crack appointment for the Directors' gift. The officers of

establishment were considered the
of the Company's service, and bet
the whole, well connected, they g
aristocratic tone to trade. It wa
surprising then their *noblesse*
took good care that no man shou
destitute. After the abolition o

monopoly, the trade chiefly fell in the hands of ex-servants of the Company. Many of our old houses, some of which are still flourishing, had their origin then, being founded by clerks, idlers, purser, ship-captains and other officers of the Company. Hongkong in its early days was nothing more than a

trading station, with but few social possibilities—a place at which they were to be made as rapidly as possible and from which merchants expected to go home to enjoy the *otomomomote* after three or four years of *satsumu* toil. These men prided themselves

on interfering the traditions of the ton Factory and were not blind-wants of the poor. If we mistake the Royal Naval Hospital at W formerly the Seamen's Hospital, neknowledgement of duty to be d at least one firm in this direction ent commercial crisis of 1867?

cutting of the Suez Canal later on, rather with the extension of the telegraph communication to all parts of the country, have tended to reduce the condition of life and trade here much to a leveler. What was formerly a privileged, and rather exclusive

mercantile mart, has at length become
of many trade centres, where the
gle for a competency is as keen as
tracked as in London itself. These
and its profits, instead of being con-
to a few wealthy firms, are now
widely distributed over the community
and the responsibility firmly

Many of us who have come to Hong Kong under the aegis of local firms do not possibly know of the hundreds of thousands of people who are now, by private munificence, or through the sequence, transferred to the control of the Government or its representative and agents.

those "who boldly daring" have not
fortune by arriving on these
seeking. It is this unfortunate
together with other wails and str
up by the tide of our trade, that
our attention. Even to the most
able of these, Hong Kong, with

(Continued)

1. **BAROMETER**, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit
 and to the level of the sea is inches, tenths
 and hundredths.
 2. **TEMPERATURE**, in the shade in degrees
 and tenths, Fahrenheit.
 3. **HUMIDITY**, in percentage of saturation, the
 humidity of air saturated with moisture being
 100.
 4. **DIRECTION OF WIND**, to two points.
 5. **FORCE OF WIND**, according to Beaufort
 Scale.
 6. **STATE OF WEATHER**, as blue sky, a few
 scattered clouds, a drizzling rain, a glowy
 and hail, lightning, overcast, p. passing overcast,
 equally, rain, snow, a thunder, or visibility
 to dew (web).

For Sale.

JUST LANDED AND FOR SALE.

A PARCEL OF NEW SEASON'S

FOOCHOW TEA

of the Finest Quality. Specially Selected for the Hongkong Market.

Boxes of 5 Cattes — \$3.50 each.

" 10 " — \$6.00 "

" 20 " — \$12.00 "

Also, An Assortment of BEER from AMERICA.

The Celebrated

MILWAUKEE

AND

ST. LOUIS ANHEUSER.

Prices: —

\$1.00 — per dozen Pints.

\$3.00 — " " Quarts.

JULES MUM EXTRA DRY

CHAMPAGNE.

Prices: —

\$11.00 — per dozen Pints.

\$20.00 — " " Quarts.

Orders promptly attended to.

H. ST. CLAIR GREELEY,

HONGKONG HOTEL.

Hongkong, July 7, 1884. 1115

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A CHINESE DICTIONARY

IN THE

CANTONESE DIALECT,

By DR. E. J. EITEL.

CROWN OCTAVO, Pp. 1018.

Hongkong, 1877-1883.

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Part II. K-M. \$2.50

Part III. M-T. \$3.00

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